comments. Although the comments are imaged documents, instead of word processing documents, the ''pdf'' versions of the documents are word searchable.

Please note that even after the comment closing date, NHTSA will continue to file relevant information in the Docket as it becomes available. Further, some people may submit late comments. Accordingly, the agency recommends that you periodically check the Docket for new material.

Anyone is able to search the electronic form of all comments received into any of our dockets by the name of the individual submitting the comment (or signing the comment, if submitted on behalf of an association, business, labor union, etc.). You may review DOT's complete Privacy Act Statement in the **Federal Register** published on April 11, 2000 (Volume 65, Number 70; Pages 19477–78) or you may visit *http://dms.dot.gov.*

Authority: 49 U.S.C. 322, 30111, 30115, 30117 and 30166; delegation of authority at 49 CFR 1.50.

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Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act Provisions; Fisheries of the Northeastern United States; Monkfish Fishery; Amendment 2 to the Monkfish Fishery Management Plan; Correction

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of availability; request for comments; correction.

SUMMARY: On January 3, 2005, NMFS published a notification that the New England Fishery Management Council and the Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council have submitted Amendment 2 to the Monkfish Fishery Management Plan (FMP) (Amendment 2) incorporating the draft Final Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement (FSEIS), Regulatory Impact Review (RIR), and the Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis (IRFA), for Secretarial review and requested comments from the public. Amendment 2 was developed to address essential fish habitat and bycatch issues, and to revise the FMP to address several issues raised during the public scoping process. In the January 3, 2005, notification, NMFS inadvertently referred to this action as a proposed interim rule. This document corrects that error.

DATES: Comments on Amendment 2 to the Monkfish FMP must be received on or before March 3, 2005.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: An NOA for Amendment 2 to the Monkfish FMP was published in the **Federal Register** on January 3, 2005 (70 FR 68), with public comment accepted through March 3, 2005. Public comments are being solicited on Amendment 2 and its incorporated documents through the end of the comment period on the NOA (i.e., March 3, 2005). A proposed rule that would implement Amendment 2 may be published in the **Federal Register** for public comment, following NMFS's evaluation of the proposed rule under the procedures of the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (Magnuson-Stevens Act). All comments received by March 3, 2005, whether specifically directed to Amendment 2 or the proposed rule, will be considered in the approval/disapproval decision on the amendment. To be considered, comments must be received by close of business on March 3, 2005; that does not mean postmarked or otherwise transmitted by that date.

NMFS in the **ADDRESSES** section of the January 3rd publication inadvertently referred to the amendment as a ''proposed interim rule.'' However, because a proposed rule may be published in the near future following NMFS's evaluation of the proposed rule under the procedures of the Magnuson-Stevens Act, NMFS is correcting the NOA **Federal Register** publication to identify clearly that the January 3, 2005, publication is requesting public comments on the Amendment 2 document along with the FSEIS, RIR, and IRFA.

Therefore, in the NOA for Amendment 2 to the Monkfish FMP published on January 3, 2005, which was the subject of FR Doc 04–28738, in the second line of the **ADDRESSES** section in the first column on page 68, the words ''proposed interim rule'' are removed and in their place the words ''proposed amendment'' are added.

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

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